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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

4,615

copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

Cheap remedy for pneumonia and consumption: walking. Take in frequent doses.

If you don't feel too sheepish about it, reciprocate that generous Christmas gift with a New Year's token.

There's prestige with a name. Note Senator William J. Bryan of Florida and the rooster, John F. Fitzgerald of Boston.

Inside information tells us that Arkansas' new senator, Jeff Davis, is gifted with brains. And yet "we're from Missouri."

In his toast to Admiral Dewey, President Roosevelt gave the various "anti" fresh cause for bringing down their disapprobation on his head. The president's words were, "To the man who has done more for and reflected greater glory on America than any other man now living." Of course, Dewey blushed. And naturally there will be a howl of protest from the people who are "agin" war and all things warlike. Listen to the chorus.

The Groton Times denies intention of stifling any ambition on the part of ex-Mayor Gordon of this city in the congressional contest in the second district.

BARRE OPERA HOUSE

FOX & EATON, Lessees.
 J. E. HOBAN, Resident Mgr.

Saturday, Dec. 28

Charles Frohman Presents

THE MOST SUCCESSFUL
 PLAY OF THE CENTURY

PETER PAN

OR—

The Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up

BY J. M. BARRIE

AUTHOR OF

THE LITTLE MINISTER

Prices, - 50c, 75c and \$1.00
 Four Front Rows, - \$1.50

Tickets now on sale at Kendrick's drug store.

by "mentioning" him for governor, but asserts that it presented the name with the idea of bringing good news into the state and thus break down the hard and fast lines set down by politicians who carry a little state under their arms. The contemporary has certainly started quite a discussion throughout the state press.

NEEDLESS BRUTALITY.

Since the close of the deer-hunting season in southern New Hampshire two weeks ago, an attempt has been made to find a valid reason for the law which forbids the use of a rifle in killing deer and prescribes a shot-gun as the weapon of slaughter. The reason apparently was to protect as much as possible the lives of hunters from careless fellow deer-slayers and to protect, also, those other people who might be in range of stray shots. Protection of human life is, of course, a proper undertaking and an idea to be prosecuted to the limit. It is a desideratum for which Vermont is groping at the present time.

But in limiting the weapons to be used in deer-hunting to the shot-gun the New Hampshire legislature subjected the deer to torture and inhumanity, while they did not materially lessen the chances of fatalities among human beings. From the woods have come numerous reports of wounded deer, barely able to drag themselves about, some with shattered legs, others with terrible body wounds. They were struck by charges from shot-guns, with not sufficient force to kill, but capable, nevertheless, of inflicting great suffering. One instance of the heartlessness of this shot-gun method of hunting is afforded by the testimony of one hunter who brought down a deer, only to find that the poor beast had four times previously and in the same open season been the target for other shot-guns.

In refusing the use of the rifle, the New Hampshire law forgets entirely the idea of the humane. If we are to kill deer at all, let's be as little cruel as possible. There is now under way in New Hampshire a strong movement toward amending the law so that the rifle will be permitted in deer-hunting.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Times and Places of Worship and Subjects of Sermons.

Congregational church. The pastor will conduct the services; morning theme, "The silent message"; evening subject, "The temporal and the eternal."

Christian Science services to-morrow at 10:45 a. m.; Wednesday evening at 7:30; reading room open Tuesday and Friday from 2 to 4 o'clock, at 7 Summer street.

Swedish mission. The Rev. A. A. Johnson will conduct the services during the day. Sunday school at 11 a. m., evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Sunday after Christmas, Church of the Good Shepherd. Holy communion, 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

In the Presbyterian church the regular services will be conducted by the pastor. The sermons in the morning and evening will be appropriate to the closing of the new year. Men's Bible class at 11:45.

Universalist church. The services will be fitting to the last Sunday of the year. Vespers at 4:30. Hymns will be illustrated, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "Rock of Ages," etc., and sung by members of the choir, and some fine statutory will be shown in both Hebrew and Christian subjects.

At St. Monica's church: Children's mass at 9 o'clock; celebrant, Rev. P. M. McKenna; parish mass at 10:30 o'clock, celebrant, Rev. E. P. Gray; confirmation, 3 p. m.; rosary and benedictions, 4 p. m.; baptisms at 4 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal church. Morning worship, 10:30; topic of children's sermon, "Slippery places," sermon, "Facing to the front"; Bible school at 12; Junior league at 3; North Barre mission, 5:30; Epworth league, 6; evening worship at 7; subject, "Building the foundation"; special services every evening during the week except Saturday at 7:30; annual dinner for members and attendants, Tuesday noon; annual roll-call, Tuesday at 3 and 7:30 p. m.

Special for Saturday

Yes, they are dropping, and today it is Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes that have dropped from \$6.00, \$5.00 and \$3.00 to \$4.25, \$3.75 and \$2.25. See window. Watch this space and all so circulars announcing a change in our business methods January 1st, 1908.

ANNOUNCEMENT

On January 1, 1908, we mean to make a change in our business methods, which will be to your interest as well as ours.

For a long time we've been studying the question of Cash or Credit in running a successful store, and have sought the advice of all the wise heads from Benjamin Franklin down on this point, and the sum of the opinion is that a Cash System is decidedly the best for customers and ourselves.

"He That Pays Ready Money
 Escapes Paying Interest."

If you pay us Cash we can pay Cash to the manufacturers. We both escape paying interest, so both pay less than by the credit method.

So all our dealings after January 1, 1908, are to be on a strictly Cash basis. We mean to give you the best goods to be had at the least possible price.

OUR COATS TO RENT.
 WE CLEAN, PRESS AND
 REPAIR CLOTHING.

PROGERS & CO.

174 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

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JINGLES AND JESTS

The Flat Hunter.

Some go out in quest of the ivory mounted boar,
 Getting thunderous excitement, quite a lack of dull repose;
 Others plan to slay the fish armored osprey,
 Or chloroform the butterfly that loiters on the rose,
 Moose hunting, goose hunting, have their clientele;
 Whale drives, quail drives, draw a motley throng;
 Some go after venison with a goldy lioness—
 They can stalk their quarry with a happy hunting song;
 Men go to the Congo after hippopotamus
 Steaks and cutlets breaded, with the gizzard on the side;
 All they have to do there is to slay a beast or two there—
 'Steep pound, soft nosed projectiles will pierce the creature's hide,
 Some hunters, glum hunters, say that sport is hard;
 They can't, they can't use that adjective;
 It can only be applied to the sport that I have tried—
 Hunting over the city just to find a place to live.

Some think apartment houses lurk in every street—
 They are cunning creatures with most subtly hidden lairs;
 A new and modern flat for two, such a one that ought to do,
 Is far more difficult to stalk than extinct grizzly bears,
 Steam heat, parlor suite, rarer than the auk,
 My rent (high rent!) is evasive as a mouse
 Lead will bag a tiger cat; gold you need to land a flat—
 If you're after sport imperial just try to hunt a flat.

—San Francisco Call.

100 LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

FOR SALE—New milch cow, Paul Kingston, on Richardson road, Barre, 24129.
 WANTED—At once, good steady farm hand, apply to Morrison Farm, 24127.
 LOST—A wallet containing a sum of money, Friday night, between Barre and Websterville. Liberal reward for return to this office, 24128.

1908

We solicit your Savings and Business Account the coming year and extend every accommodation consistent with Safe Banking.

PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

WORTHEN BLOCK, BARRE, VT.

OPEN ON MONDAY EVENINGS FROM 7 TO 8 O'CLOCK.

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

REMARKABLE CUT PRICE SALE.

Footwear at Cut Prices!

Lot \$2.50 and \$3.00 Felt and Sheepskin Shoes 1.98
 Lot \$3.50 Felt Shoes 2.98
 Lot \$1.75 1-Buckle Rubbers - 1.49
 Lot Rolled Edge Rubbers - 79c
 Lot Snow Excluders, worth \$3.75, only - 3.29

HOSIERY HOSIERY

Lot 50c Cashmere Hose, only - 33c
 Lot 25c Wool and Cashmere Hose - 19c
 Lot extra heavy Wool Socks, equal to home knit, - 49c

Underwear Reduction Sale

Lot \$1.75 extra fine Wool Underwear to close, for Shirts - 1.29
 For Drawers - 1.19
 Lot \$1.25 Wool Underwear - 89c
 Lot extra heavy Fleece Underwear - 49c

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

Men's Outfitters.

Miles' Granite Block, - Barre, Vt.

MONTPELIER.

The Rev. D. F. Burns of Cambridge, Mass., will hold the third quarterly conference of the stewards of the People's church this evening at 7:30. He will also preach to-morrow morning at 10:30 and in the evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Burns is the presiding elder of the Cambridge district of the New England conference of the Evangelical church.

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 A QUARTER CENTURY OF SUCCESS—
THE BURLINGTON TRUST CO., INCORPORATED
 CITY HALL SQUARE—NORTH—BURLINGTON, VT.
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 Copy of Statement ACTIVITY—CONSERVATION—SAFETY F. W. ELLIOTT, Treasurer

Drown has it

If you are looking for any odd number in Standard Diaries for 1908.

E. A. DROWN,

Prescription Druggist.

48 No. Main St.,

Opp. Nat'l Bank.

BIG CLEARANCE SALE

MARK-DOWN ON WINTER GOODS

To reduce our stock before we take inventory. Now is the time to buy goods at cost and many below cost. Many lots are small and will sell out quickly, so take time by the forelock.

Coats, Skirts and Furs.

Children's Coats marked down to \$1.98, 2.50 and 2.98.

Misses' Coats, \$4.50 and 4.98 values, now \$2.25 and 3.50.

Ladies' Long Coats marked at cost price, \$4.75, 4.98, 6.98 and 7.98.

All our \$12.98 and \$15.00 Coats now at \$9.98. \$5.00 Fur Scarfs for \$2.98.

Night Robes and Corsets.

Flannelette Night Robes to close at 39c, 69c and 89c each.

Seventy eight \$1.00 Corsets now at 79c each.

Ladies' Fleece Underwear.

25c Heavy Fleece Vests and Pants, 20c
 50c Extra Heavy Fleece Vests and Pants, 39c
 Oneita Wool Union Suits, sold at \$1.50 to \$2.25, at \$1.25

Outing Flannel, Spreads, Etc.

All our 10c Outing Flannel now, 8c per yard
 12 1-2c Shirting Flannel now, 10c per yard
 12 1-2c Flannelette Waisting now, 10c per yard
 12 1-2c Grey Wrapper Flannel now, 10c per yard
 15c Plaid Serge now, 10c per yard
 White Bed Spreads now, 75c, 98c, \$1.19 and \$1.39 each
 25c Fancy Pillow Tops now, 19c each
 25c Cord and Tassels now, 19c each
 Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, to close, 2c each

Ladies' Waist Sale.

You know that this is the Waist Store. This is the time to buy Silk Waists, Net Waists and fine Muslin Waists. Here are some of the prices. Don't wait long to get them. They are not let out on approval. Must be a clean sale at these prices.

\$1.19 Plaid Waists for, 59c each
 1.25 Plaid and Fancy Waists for, 79c each
 1.25 White Lawn Striped Waists, now, 98c each
 1.25 up to 3.25 Flannel Waists, to close at, 98c each
 New White Waists, sizes broken from our big Christmas sale, priced up to \$1.98, to close at \$1.25 each.

Petticoats, Umbrellas, Etc.

Ladies' Black Petticoats—We have a big assortment of these. You can save 25 per cent in buying now.

Umbrellas with fancy handles for New Year's gifts now at only \$1.00 each.

Bargain Counter.—Remnants of all kinds. Don't fail to look them over. It will pay you to do so.

Other bargains throughout the store which we have not space here to advertise.

The Vaughan Store

LENOX BURNING OIL

Do you desire a bright light in your home? If you do, get good, high grade illuminating oil, use it in clean lamps, with properly fitting wicks. These will insure you a bright, clear light, and a flame that can be turned up high—surprisingly high—without smoke or odor.

The oil that produces these most satisfactory effects is the result of many years of experience, united with care and intelligence. It is known by its trade mark, **Lenox Oil**, and it stands today the best specimen of a safe, high grade oil in our market.

Lenox Oil is made from the best of Pennsylvania crude, is treated with special treatment to rid it of odor and smoke. The utmost care is taken in its manufacture and transportation, resulting in a safe, odorless, perfect illuminating oil.

Try a barrel of Lenox Oil and you will always use it. No smoking up of chimneys or crusting of wicks—no odor. A light that is light.

SMITH & CUMINGS,

PURE FOOD DEPARTMENT STORE,

Telephone 438-11. - 305 North Main Street, Barre, Vt.

Goddard Seminary

Winter term opens Tuesday, December 31, 1907.

O. K. HOLLISTER, - - - Principal

Barre Savings Bank and Trust Company

BOLSTER BLOCK, - - - BARRE VERMONT

Four Per Cent Interest paid on Savings Accounts, credited semi-annually, April and Oct. 1st

Taxes paid on all Deposits not exceeding \$2,000.00.

BEN A. EASTMAN, - - - - - President
 F. G. HOWLAND, - - - - - Treasurer

All Holiday Goods!

AT EXACT COST

The remnants of our holiday stock are placed on sale today at actual cost. We prefer to close out the goods now than carry them over. You can now buy for yourself at bargain prices.

C. H. KENDRICK & CO.,

54 North Main Street.

DRUGGISTS.